1	CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION
2	AMENDMENTS
3	2009 GENERAL SESSION
4	STATE OF UTAH
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6	LONG TITLE
7	General Description:
8	This bill modifies provisions relating to career and technical education, including
9	governance structures.
10	Highlighted Provisions:
11	This bill:
12	 modifies terminology, definitions, and other provisions relating to career and
13	technical education;
14	 modifies the governance structure for career and technical education;
15	 modifies the membership of the State Board of Regents;
16	 modifies the membership, appointment procedures, and duties of the Utah College
17	of Applied Technology's Board of Trustees;
18	► restructures the Salt Lake/Tooele Campus of the Utah College of Applied
19	Technology as follows:
20	• establishes a School of Technology at Salt Lake Community College;
21	• transfers the Salt Lake portion of the Salt Lake/Tooele Applied Technology
22	College to Salt Lake Community College's School of Technology; and
23	• retains the Tooele portion of the campus as the Tooele Campus of the Utah
24	College of Applied Technology;
25	• creates a career and technical education board of directors at Salt Lake Community
26	College and specifies its membership and duties;
27	 modifies career and technical education reporting provisions;
28	 prohibits the State Board of Regents from conducting a feasibility study or
29	performing another act relating to merging Utah College of Applied Technology
30	institutions with another institution of higher education;
31	requires legislative appropriations for career and technical education programs at

32	Salt Lake Community College, Snow College, and the College of Eastern Utah to
33	be made as separate line items; and
34	 makes technical corrections.
35	Monies Appropriated in this Bill:
36	None
37	Other Special Clauses:
38	This bill takes effect on July 1, 2009.
39	Utah Code Sections Affected:
40	AMENDS:
41	53A-15-202 , as last amended by Laws of Utah 2007, Chapter 259
42	53B-1-103, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2003, Chapter 289
43	53B-1-104, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2006, Chapter 285
44	53B-2a-101, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2007, Chapter 259
45	53B-2a-102, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2007, Chapter 259
46	53B-2a-103, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2007, Chapter 259
47	53B-2a-104, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2007, Chapter 259
48	53B-2a-105, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2007, Chapter 259
49	53B-2a-106, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2007, Chapter 259
50	53B-2a-107, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2005, Chapter 227
51	53B-2a-108, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2007, Chapters 259 and 356
52	53B-2a-109, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2003, Chapter 289
53	53B-2a-110, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2003, Chapters 233 and 289
54	53B-2a-111, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2003, Chapter 289
55	53B-2a-112, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2003, Chapter 289
56	53B-2a-113, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2005, Chapter 227
57	53B-6-101 , as last amended by Laws of Utah 2001, First Special Session, Chapter 5
58	53B-16-102, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2001, First Special Session, Chapter 5
59	53B-16-205 , as last amended by Laws of Utah 2003, Chapters 233 and 289
60	53B-16-206 , as enacted by Laws of Utah 2003, Chapter 233
61	53B-16-207 , as enacted by Laws of Utah 2007, Chapter 259
62	53B-16-208 , as enacted by Laws of Utah 2007, Chapter 259

63	ENACTS:
64	53B-16-209 , Utah Code Annotated 1953
65	53B-16-210 , Utah Code Annotated 1953
66	REPEALS:
67	53B-16-204 , as enacted by Laws of Utah 1992, Chapter 71
68	Uncodified Material Affected:
69	ENACTS UNCODIFIED MATERIAL
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71	Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:
72	Section 1. Section 53A-15-202 is amended to read:
73	53A-15-202. Powers of the board.
74	The State Board of Education:
75	(1) shall establish minimum standards for [applied technology] career and technical
76	education programs in the public education system;
77	(2) may apply for, receive, administer, and distribute funds made available through
78	programs of federal and state governments to promote and aid [applied technology] career and
79	technical education;
80	(3) shall cooperate with federal and state governments to administer programs which
81	promote and maintain [applied technology] career and technical education;
82	(4) shall cooperate with the Utah College of Applied Technology, Salt Lake
83	Community College's School of Technology, Snow College, and the College of Eastern Utah to
84	ensure that students in the public education system have access to [applied technology] career
85	and technical education at Utah College of Applied Technology campuses, Salt Lake
86	Community College's School of Technology, Snow College, and the College of Eastern Utah;
87	(5) shall require that before a minor student may participate in clinical experiences as
88	part of a health care occupation program at a high school or other institution to which the
89	student has been referred, the student's parent or legal guardian has:
90	(a) been first given written notice through appropriate disclosure when registering and
91	prior to participation that the program contains a clinical experience segment in which the
92	student will observe and perform specific health care procedures that may include personal
93	care, patient bathing, and bathroom assistance; and

94	(b) provided specific written consent for the student's participation in the program and
95	clinical experience; and
96	(6) shall, after consulting with [local] school districts, charter schools, the <u>Utah</u>
97	College of Applied Technology, Salt Lake Community College's School of Technology, Snow
98	College, and the College of Eastern Utah, prepare and submit an annual report to the governor
99	and to the Legislature's Education Interim Committee by October 31 of each year detailing:
100	(a) how the [applied technology] career and technical education needs of secondary
101	students are being met; and
102	(b) what access secondary students have to programs offered:
103	(i) at applied technology colleges; and
104	(ii) within the regions served by Salt Lake Community College's School of
105	Technology, Snow College, and the College of Eastern Utah.
106	Section 2. Section 53B-1-103 is amended to read:
107	53B-1-103. Establishment of State Board of Regents Powers and authority.
108	(1) There is established a State Board of Regents.
109	(2) (a) [The] Except as provided in Subsection (2)(b), the board is vested with the
110	control, management, and supervision of the institutions of higher education designated in
111	Section 53B-1-102 in a manner consistent with the policy and purpose of this title and the
112	specific powers and responsibilities granted to it.
113	(b) The board [is vested with the following] may only exercise powers relating to the
114	Utah College of Applied Technology and its college campuses[:] that are specifically provided
115	in this title.
116	[(i) approving each competency-based associate of applied technology degree before
117	allowing a college campus to offer the degree;]
118	[(ii) making rules governing the transfer of applied technology education degrees
119	awarded by the Utah College of Applied Technology to other higher education institutions;]
120	[(iii) appointing the president for the Utah College of Applied Technology in
121	accordance with Section 53B-2a-102 and board policy; and]
122	[(iv) facilitating and coordinating the operation of the Utah College of Applied
123	Technology within the system of higher education.]
124	(c) Except for the Utah College of Applied Technology, the board may modify the

125	name of an institution under its control and management, as designated in Section 53B-1-102
126	to reflect the role and general course of study of the institution.
127	(d) The board may not conduct a feasibility study or perform another act relating to
128	merging any of the following institutions with another institution of higher education:
129	(i) the Bridgerland Applied Technology College Campus;
130	(ii) the Ogden-Weber Applied Technology College Campus;
131	(iii) the Davis Applied Technology College Campus;
132	(iv) the Tooele Applied Technology College Campus;
133	(v) the Mountainland Applied Technology College Campus;
134	(vi) the Uintah Basin Applied Technology College Campus;
135	(vii) the Southwest Applied Technology College Campus; and
136	(viii) the Dixie Applied Technology College Campus.
137	(3) The board is the State Postsecondary Review Entity for Utah for purposes of Title
138	IV, Part H, of the federal Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended by the Higher Education
139	Act Amendments of 1992.
140	(4) This section does not affect the power and authority vested in the State Board of
141	Education to apply for, accept, and manage federal appropriations for the establishment and
142	maintenance of [applied technology] career and technical education.
143	Section 3. Section 53B-1-104 is amended to read:
144	53B-1-104. Membership of the board Student appointee Terms Oath
145	Officers Committees Bylaws Meetings Quorum Vacancies Compensation.
146	(1) (a) The board shall consist of [18] 19 residents of the state.
147	(b) (i) Fifteen members shall be appointed by the governor with the consent of the
148	Senate.
149	(ii) (A) One additional member shall be appointed by the governor from nominations
150	of the student body presidents council.
151	(B) The council shall nominate three qualified, matriculated students enrolled in the
152	state institutions of higher education.
153	(C) Student body presidents are not eligible for nomination.
154	(iii) All appointments to the board shall be made on a nonpartisan basis.
155	(iv) In making appointments to the board, the governor shall select:

156 (A) individuals from the state at large with due consideration for geographical 157 representation; and 158 (B) at least three individuals with personal experience in [applied technology] career 159 and technical education, which could include service on a campus board of directors. 160 (c) (i) In addition to the members designated under Subsection (1)(b), two members of 161 the State Board of Education, appointed by the chair of the State Board of Education, shall 162 serve as nonvoting members of the board. 163 (ii) A nonvoting State Board of Education member shall continue to serve as a member 164 without a set term until the member is replaced by the chair of the State Board of Education. 165 (d) (i) In addition to the members designated under Subsection (1)(b), one member of 166 the Utah College of Applied Technology Board of Trustees, appointed by the chair of the Utah 167 College of Applied Technology Board of Trustees, shall serve as a nonvoting member of the 168 board. 169 (ii) A nonvoting Utah College of Applied Technology Board of Trustees member shall 170 continue to serve as a member without a set term until the member is replaced by the chair of 171 the Utah College of Applied Technology Board of Trustees. 172 (2) (a) Five members of the board, other than the student member [and], the State Board of Education members, and the Utah College of Applied Technology Board of Trustees 173 174 member, shall be appointed during each odd-numbered year to six-year staggered terms which 175 commence on July 1 of the year of appointment. 176 (b) (i) The student member shall be appointed for a one-year term and may be reappointed for one additional term. 177 178 (ii) The student member has full voting rights and may vote on selection of a board 179 chair or vice chair, but not serve in either office. 180 (c) Board members shall hold office until their successors have been appointed and 181 qualified. 182 (3) (a) Each member of the board shall take the official oath of office before entering 183 upon the duties of office. 184 (b) The oath shall be filed with the Division of Archives and Records Services.

of two years and until their successors are chosen and qualified.

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(4) The board shall elect a chair and vice chair from its members who shall serve terms

187 (5) (a) The board shall appoint a secretary from the staff of its chief executive to serve at its discretion.

- (b) The secretary shall be a full-time employee who receives a salary set by the board.
- 190 (c) The secretary shall record and maintain a record of all board meetings and perform 191 other duties as the board directs.
 - (6) The board shall appoint a treasurer who serves at the discretion of the board.
- 193 (7) (a) The board may establish advisory committees.

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- (b) The powers and authority of the board are nondelegable, except as specificallyprovided for in this title.
 - (c) All matters requiring board determination shall be addressed in a properly convened meeting of the board or its executive committee.
 - (8) The board shall enact bylaws for its own government not inconsistent with the constitution or the laws of this state.
 - (9) (a) The board shall meet regularly upon its own determination.
- 201 (b) The board may also meet, in full or executive session, at the request of its chair, its executive officer, or five members of the board.
 - (10) A quorum of the voting members of the board is required to conduct its business and consists of nine members.
 - (11) (a) A vacancy in the board occurring before the expiration of a voting member's full term shall be immediately filled by appointment by the governor with the consent of the Senate.
 - (b) The appointee serves for the remainder of the unexpired term.
 - (12) (a) Each member of the board shall receive a per diem as provided by law as compensation for services for attending meetings of the board.
- 211 (b) Each member shall also be paid actual expenses incurred for attending meetings of 212 the board or its committees or for attending to any business of the institutions under the 213 direction of the board or authority of the board or its committees.
- Section 4. Section **53B-2a-101** is amended to read:
- 215 **53B-2a-101.** Definitions.
- As used in this chapter:
- [(2)] (1) "Board of trustees" means the Utah College of Applied Technology Board of

218	Trustees.
219	[(1) "Applied technology] (2) "Career and technical education" means organized
220	educational programs offering sequences of courses or skill sets directly related to preparing
221	individuals for paid or unpaid employment in current or emerging occupations that do not
222	require a baccalaureate or advanced degree.
223	(3) "College campus" means a college campus of the Utah College of Applied
224	Technology.
225	(4) "Competency-based" means mastery of subject matter or skill level, as
226	demonstrated through business and industry approved standards and assessments, achieved
227	through participation in a hands-on learning environment, and which is tied to observable,
228	measurable performance objectives.
229	(5) "High wage jobs" means jobs with an annual salary at or above the median salary in
230	the service region of the college campus.
231	(6) "Open-entry, open-exit" means:
232	(a) a method of instructional delivery that allows for flexible scheduling in response to
233	individual student needs or requirements and demonstrated competency when knowledge and
234	skills have been mastered; [and]
235	(b) students have the flexibility to begin or end study at any time, progress through
236	course material at their own pace, and demonstrate competency when knowledge and skills
237	have been mastered[. If]; and
238	(c) if competency is demonstrated in a program of study, a credential, certificate, or
239	diploma[, or degree] may be awarded.
240	Section 5. Section 53B-2a-102 is amended to read:
241	53B-2a-102. President Appointment Duties.
242	(1) (a) The board of trustees shall appoint a president for the Utah College of Applied
243	Technology.
244	(b) The president of the Utah College of Applied Technology does not need to have a
245	doctorate degree, but shall have extensive experience in [applied technology] career and

(c) The president shall serve at the [board's] board of trustees' discretion.

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(d) The names of the final candidates for president of the Utah College of Applied

249	Technology shall be publicly disclosed.
250	(e) The chair and vice chair of the Utah College of Applied Technology Board of
251	Trustees shall be members of the search committee for the president.
252	(2) The president shall:
253	(a) direct the Utah College of Applied Technology and coordinate the activities of each
254	of its college campuses;
255	[(b) in cooperation with the board of trustees and with the approval of the board,
256	develop a competency-based associate of applied technology degree;]
257	[(c) ensure that, pursuant to State Board of Regents' rules, an applied technology
258	education degree is primarily a terminal degree, but is transferable to a bachelor's degree in
259	applied technology at other higher education institutions under specific articulation
260	agreements;]
261	[(d)] (b) in consultation with the board of trustees, campus presidents, and campus
262	boards of directors, prepare a comprehensive strategic plan for delivering [applied technology]
263	career and technical education through the Utah College of Applied Technology college
264	campuses;
265	[(e)] (c) after consulting with [local] school districts, charter schools and other higher
266	education institutions in the regions, ensure that the curricula of the Utah College of Applied
267	Technology meet the needs of the state, the regions, [and] the [local] school districts, and
268	charter schools;
269	[(f)] (d) in consultation with the board of trustees, campus presidents, and campus
270	boards of directors, and after consulting with [local] school districts, charter schools and other
271	higher education institutions in the region, develop strategies for providing [applied
272	technology] career and technical education in rural areas, specifically considering the distances
273	between rural [applied technology] career and technical education providers;
274	[(g)] (e) establish minimum standards for [applied technology] career and technical
275	education programs of the Utah College of Applied Technology college campuses;
276	$[\frac{h}{h}]$ in conjunction with the board of trustees, do the following:
277	(i) develop and implement a system of common definitions, standards, and criteria for
278	tracking and measuring the effectiveness of [applied technology] career and technical
279	education;

310	Compensation.
309	Membership Terms Vacancies Oath Officers Quorum Committees
308	53B-2a-103. Utah College of Applied Technology Board of Trustees
307	Section 6. Section 53B-2a-103 is amended to read:
306	with Section 53B-2a-107 and set their salaries.
305	(j) with the approval of the board of trustees, appoint campus presidents in accordance
304	follow the non-credit career and technical education mission described in this part; and
303	evaluate program performance, and obtain independent audits to ensure that college campuses
302	(i) in conjunction with the board of trustees, establish benchmarks, provide oversight,
301	53B-16-207, and 53B-16-209.
300	Snow College, and the College of Eastern Utah in accordance with Sections 53B-16-205 [and].
298 299	education within the regions served by <u>Salt Lake Community College's School of Technology</u> ,
297 298	[(i)] (h) provide expertise [and monitor applied technology] for career and technical
296 297	to [applied technology] career and technical education through the Utah College of Applied Technology college campuses; [and]
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294 295	and charter schools, ensure that secondary students in the public education system have access
293 294	advantages of [applied technology] career and technical education; [(i)] (g) after consulting with the State Board of Education [and local], school districts,
292293	(iii) develop and implement a plan to inform citizens about the availability, cost, and
291	[(H)] (I) programs, certificates, and curriculum; and
290	[(G)] (H) general data collection; and
289	Education, and Board of Regents contact;
288	[(F)] (G) legislative, State System of Public Education, State System of Higher
287	(F) articulation with institutions of higher education and public education;
286	(E) strategic planning;
285	(D) campus and college master planning efforts;
284	(C) management information systems;
283	(B) facilities, including capital, capital development, and leases;
282	(A) budgets and audits;
281	and reporting of college functions dealing with:
280	(ii) maintain a central administration office for coordination, prioritization, support,

311	(1) There is created the Utah College of Applied Technology Board of Trustees,
312	composed of the following members:
313	(a) [two members] one member of the State Board of Education appointed by the
314	[governor with the consent of the Senate] chair of the State Board of Education;
315	(b) [two members] one member of the State Board of Regents appointed by the
316	[governor with the consent of the Senate] chair of the State Board of Regents;
317	(c) one member representing business and industry employers from the [regional]
318	campus board of directors of each [regional] applied technology college campus appointed by a
319	majority vote of the business and industry employer members of the [regional] campus board;
320	(d) one member representing business and industry <u>employers</u> from the Snow College
321	[applied technology] career and technical education advisory committee appointed by a
322	majority of the business and industry members of the advisory committee;
323	(e) one member representing business and industry employers from the College of
324	Eastern Utah [applied technology] career and technical education advisory committee
325	appointed by a majority of the business and industry employer members of the advisory
326	committee; [and]
327	(f) one member representing business and industry employers from the Salt Lake
328	Community College School of Technology Board of Directors appointed by a majority of the
329	business and industry employer members of the board of directors;
330	[(f)] (g) one business or industry employer representative appointed by the governor
331	with the consent of the Senate from nominations submitted by the speaker of the House of
332	Representatives and president of the Senate[-]; and
333	(h) one representative of union craft, trade, or apprenticeship programs that prepare
334	workers for employment in career and technical education fields, appointed by the governor
335	with the consent of the Senate;
336	(i) one representative of non-union craft, trade, or apprenticeship programs that prepare
337	workers for employment in career and technical education fields, appointed by the governor
338	with the consent of the Senate;
339	(j) the executive director of the Department of Workforce Services or the executive
340	director's designee; and
341	(k) the executive director of the Governor's Office of Economic Development or the

342	executive director's designee.
343	(2) (a) In making appointments to the board of trustees, the governor shall consider:
344	(i) individuals from the state at large with due consideration for geographical
345	representation;
346	(ii) individuals recognized for their knowledge and expertise; and
347	(iii) individuals who represent current and emerging technical career clusters of the
348	state.
349	(b) Appointments to the board shall be made on a nonpartisan basis.
350	[(2)] (3) (a) [The] Except as provided under Subsection (3)(b), members of the board of
351	trustees shall be appointed commencing on [September 1 of the year of appointment to:] July 1
352	of each odd-numbered year to a four-year term.
353	[(i) two-year terms for the members described in Subsections (1)(a) and (b); and]
354	[(ii) four-year terms for the members described in Subsections (1)(c) through (f).]
355	(b) Initial terms of the board members beginning on July 1, 2009 shall be staggered
356	with two-year and four-year terms so that approximately one-half of the member's terms will
357	expire in any odd-numbered year.
358	[(b)] (c) An appointed member holds office until a successor is appointed and
359	qualified.
360	(3) When a vacancy occurs in the membership for any reason, the replacement shall be
361	appointed for the unexpired term.
362	(4) (a) Each member shall take the official oath of office prior to assuming the office.
363	(b) The oath shall be filed with the Division of Archives and Records Services.
364	(5) The board of trustees shall elect a chair and vice chair, who serve for two years and
365	until their successors are elected and qualified.
366	(6) (a) The board of trustees may enact bylaws for its own government, including
367	provision for regular meetings.
368	(b) (i) The board of trustees may provide for an executive committee in its bylaws.
369	(ii) If established, the committee shall have full authority of the board of trustees to act
370	upon routine matters during the interim between board of trustees meetings.
371	(iii) The committee may act on nonroutine matters only under extraordinary and
372	emergency circumstances.

373 (iv) The committee shall report its activities to the board of trustees at its next regular 374 meeting following the action. 375 [(c) Copies of the board of trustees' bylaws shall be filed with the Board of Regents.] 376 (7) A quorum shall be required to conduct business which shall consist of a majority of 377 board of trustee members. 378 (8) The board of trustees may establish advisory committees. 379 (9) (a) (i) Members who are not government employees shall receive no compensation 380 or benefits for their services, but may receive per diem and expenses incurred in the 381 performance of the member's official duties at the rates established by the Division of Finance 382 under Sections 63A-3-106 and 63A-3-107. 383 (ii) Members may decline to receive per diem and expenses for their service. 384 (b) (i) State government officer and employee members who do not receive salary, per 385 diem, or expenses from their agency for their service may receive per diem and expenses 386 incurred in the performance of their official duties from the board of trustees at the rates 387 established by the Division of Finance under Sections 63A-3-106 and 63A-3-107. 388 (ii) State government officer and employee members may decline to receive per diem 389 and expenses for their service. 390 (c) (i) Higher education members who do not receive salary, per diem, or expenses 391 from the entity that they represent for their service may receive per diem and expenses incurred 392 in the performance of their official duties from the board of trustees at the rates established by the Division of Finance under Sections 63A-3-106 and 63A-3-107. 393 394 (ii) Higher education members may decline to receive per diem and expenses for their 395 service. 396 Section 7. Section **53B-2a-104** is amended to read: 397 53B-2a-104. Utah College of Applied Technology Board of Trustees -- Powers 398 and duties. 399 (1) The Utah College of Applied Technology Board of Trustees is vested with the 400 control, management, and supervision of the Utah College of Applied Technology college campuses in a manner consistent with the policy and purpose of this title and the specific 401 402 powers and responsibilities granted to it. 403 (2) The Utah College of Applied Technology Board of Trustees shall:

404	[(1) in cooperation with the president of the Utah College of Applied Technology, and
405	with the approval of the State Board of Regents, develop competency-based associate of
406	applied technology degrees to be offered by the Utah College of Applied Technology;]
407	[(2) approve the courses and requirements for the associate of applied technology
408	degrees;]
409	[(3) ensure that, pursuant to State Board of Regents' rules, an applied technology
410	education degree is primarily a terminal degree, but is transferable to a bachelor's degree in
411	applied technology at other higher education institutions under specific articulation
412	agreements;]
413	[(4)] (a) ensure that the Utah College of Applied Technology college campuses comply
414	with the requirements in Section 53B-2a-106;
415	(b) appoint the president for the Utah College of Applied Technology in accordance
416	with Section 53B-2a-102;
417	[(5)] (c) advise the president of the Utah College of Applied Technology and the State
418	Board of Regents on issues related to [applied technology] career and technical education,
419	including articulation with institutions of higher education and public education;
420	[(6)] (d) receive budget requests from each college campus, compile and prioritize the
421	requests, and submit the request to:
422	[(a)] <u>(i)</u> the Legislature; and
423	[(b)] (ii) the Governor's Office of Planning and Budget;
424	[(7)] <u>(e)</u> receive funding requests pertaining to capital facilities and land purchases
425	from each college campus, ensure that the requests comply with Section 53B-2a-112, prioritize
426	the requests, and submit the prioritized requests to the State Building Board;
427	(f) in conjunction with the Utah College of Applied Technology president, establish
428	benchmarks, provide oversight, evaluate program performance, and obtain independent audits
429	to and ensure that campuses follow the non-credit career and technical education mission
430	described in this part;
431	[8] (g) prepare and submit an annual report detailing its progress and
432	recommendations on [applied technology] career and technical education issues to the governor
433	and to the Legislature's Education Interim Committee by October 31 of each year, which shall
434	include information detailing:

435	[(a)] (i) how the [applied technology] career and technical education needs of
436	secondary students are being met; and
437	[(b)] (ii) how the emphasis on high demand, high wage jobs in business and industry
438	described in Subsection 53B-2a-106(1)(c)(ii) is being provided; [and]
439	(iii) job placement; and
440	[(c)] (iv) what access secondary students have to programs offered:
441	$\left[\frac{(i)}{A}\right]$ at college campuses; and
442	[(ii)] (B) within the regions served by Salt Lake Community College's School of
443	Technology, Snow College, and the College of Eastern Utah;
444	[(9)] (h) receive, by September 30 of each year, an annual report from Salt Lake
445	Community College, Snow College, and the College of Eastern Utah on the status of and
446	maintenance of the effort for [applied technology] career and technical education in the regions
447	served by Salt Lake Community College's School of Technology, Snow College, and the
448	College of Eastern Utah, including access to open-entry, open-exit competency-based [applied
449	technology] career and technical education programs at the tuition rate approved by the Utah
450	College of Applied Technology for adults and at no tuition cost to secondary students; and
451	[(10) perform other duties and responsibilities prescribed under the policies of the State
452	Board of Regents.]
453	(i) collaborate with the State Board of Regents, the State Board of Education, the State
454	System of Public Education, the State System of Higher Education, the Department of
455	Workforce Services, and the Governor's Office of Economic Development on the delivery of
456	career and technical education.
457	Section 8. Section 53B-2a-105 is amended to read:
458	53B-2a-105. Utah College of Applied Technology Composition.
459	The Utah College of Applied Technology is composed of the following college
460	campuses:
461	(1) the Bridgerland Applied Technology College Campus which serves the geographic
462	area encompassing:
463	(a) the Box Elder School District;
464	(b) the Cache School District;
465	(c) the Logan School District; and

466	(d) the Rich School District;
467	(2) the Ogden-Weber Applied Technology College Campus which serves the
468	geographic area encompassing:
469	(a) the Ogden City School District; and
470	(b) the Weber School District;
471	(3) the Davis Applied Technology College Campus which serves the geographic area
472	encompassing:
473	(a) the Davis School District; and
474	(b) the Morgan School District;
475	(4) the [Salt Lake/Tooele] Tooele Applied Technology College Campus which serves
476	the geographic area encompassing[:] the Tooele School District;
477	[(a) the Salt Lake City School District;]
478	[(b) the Granite School District;]
479	[(c) the Jordan School District;]
480	[(d) the Murray School District; and]
481	[(e) the Tooele School District;]
482	(5) the Mountainland Applied Technology College Campus which serves the
483	geographic area encompassing:
484	(a) the Alpine School District;
485	(b) the Nebo School District;
486	(c) the Provo School District;
487	(d) the South Summit School District;
488	(e) the North Summit School District;
489	(f) the Wasatch School District; and
490	(g) the Park City School District;
491	(6) the Uintah Basin Applied Technology College Campus which serves the
492	geographic area encompassing:
493	(a) the Daggett School District;
494	(b) the Duchesne School District; and
495	(c) the Uintah School District;
496	(7) the Southwest Applied Technology College Campus which serves the geographic

19/	area encompassing:
198	(a) the Beaver School District;
199	(b) the Garfield School District;
500	(c) the Iron School District; and
501	(d) the Kane School District; and
502	(8) the Dixie Applied Technology College Campus which serves the geographic area
503	encompassing the Washington School District.
504	Section 9. Section 53B-2a-106 is amended to read:
505	53B-2a-106. College campuses Duties.
506	(1) Each Utah College of Applied Technology college campus shall, within the
507	geographic area served by the college campus:
508	(a) offer a <u>non-credit</u> post-secondary and extra-secondary [applied technology] <u>career</u>
509	and technical education curriculum;
510	(b) offer that curriculum at:
511	(i) market cost to adult students, as approved by the board of trustees [and the State
512	Board of Regents]; and
513	(ii) no tuition to secondary students within the campus' jurisdiction;
514	(c) provide [applied technology] career and technical education that will result in:
515	(i) appropriate licensing, certification, or other evidence of completion of training; and
516	(ii) qualification for specific employment, with an emphasis on high demand, high
517	wage jobs in business and industry;
518	[(d) offer associate of applied technology degrees that have:]
519	[(i) instruction provided in an open-entry, open-exit environment, except as required by
520	external entities; and]
521	[(ii) been reviewed by the board of trustees and approved by the State Board of
522	Regents in accordance with Section 53B-1-103;]
523	[(e)] (d) develop cooperative agreements with [local] school districts, charter schools,
524	other higher education institutions, businesses, industries, and community and private agencies
525	to maximize the availability of instructional facilities within the geographic area served by the
526	college campus; and
527	[(f)] (e) after consulting with [local] school districts and charter schools within the

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528	geographic area served by the college campus:
529	(i) ensure that secondary students in the public education system have access to
530	[applied technology] career and technical education at each college campus; and
531	(ii) prepare and submit an annual report to the Utah College of Applied Technology
532	detailing:
533	(A) how the [applied technology] career and technical education needs of secondary
534	students within the region are being met;
535	(B) what access secondary students within the region have to programs offered at
536	college campuses; and
537	(C) how the emphasis on high demand, high wage jobs in business and industry
538	described in Subsection (1)(c)(ii) is being provided.
539	(2) A college campus may offer:
540	(a) a competency-based high school diploma approved by the State Board of Education
541	in accordance with Section 53A-1-402[-]; and
542	(b) non-credit, basic instruction in areas such as reading, language arts, and
543	mathematics that are necessary for student success in a chosen career and technical education
544	or job-related program.
545	(3) A college campus may not:
546	(a) offer courses other than [applied technology education and preparatory instruction
547	in areas such as reading and mathematics that are necessary for student success in a chosen
548	applied technology education or job-related program] non-credit career and technical education
549	or the non-credit, basic instruction described in Subsection(2)(b);
550	(b) offer a degree [other than an associate of applied technology degree approved by
551	the State Board of Regents in accordance with Section 53B-1-103];
552	(c) offer career and technical education or basic instruction outside the geographic area
553	served by the college campus without a cooperative agreement between an affected institution;
554	[(c)] (d) provide tenure or academic rank for its instructors; and
555	[(d)] <u>(e)</u> participate in intercollegiate athletics.
556	(4) (a) The mission of a college campus is limited to [applied technology] non-credit
557	career and technical education and may not expand to include credit-based academic programs
558	typically offered by community colleges or other institutions of higher education.

559	(b) A college campus may not offer a [noncredit] non-credit academic program that is
560	offered as a [noncredit] non-credit program by another higher education institution that is
561	located in the same service region unless the program has received [approval through the
562	regional planning process required by the State Board of Regents] the approval of the Utah
563	College of Applied Technology board of trustees.
564	[(c) If a program is approved to be offered at more than one institution of higher
565	education through the regional planning process required by the State Board of Regents, the
566	institutions within that region shall agree to a uniform tuition for that program and submit the
567	proposed tuition level to the State Board of Regents for approval.]
568	(5) [Each] A campus shall be recognized as a college campus of the Utah College of
569	Applied Technology, and regional affiliation shall be retained and recognized through local
570	designations such as "Bridgerland Applied Technology College: A Utah College of Applied
571	Technology Campus."
572	Section 10. Section 53B-2a-107 is amended to read:
573	53B-2a-107. Campus presidents Appointments Duties.
574	(1) (a) The president of the Utah College of Applied Technology shall, after
575	consultation with the campus board of directors and with the approval of board of trustees,
576	appoint a campus president for a college campus[from a list of at least three names submitted
577	to the president by the campus board of directors to].
578	(b) A campus president shall serve as the chief administrative officer of the college
579	campus.
580	[(b)] (c) A campus president does not need to have a doctorate degree, but shall have
581	extensive experience in [applied technology] career and technical education.
582	[(e)] (d) A campus president is subject to regular review and evaluation administered
583	by the Utah College of Applied Technology president, in cooperation with the campus board of
584	directors, through a process approved by the board of trustees.
585	[(d)] (e) A campus president serves at the discretion of the Utah College of Applied
586	Technology president, in cooperation with the campus board of directors and the board of
587	trustees.
588	(2) Each campus president of a college campus shall:
589	(a) serve as the executive officer of the campus board of directors;

590	(b) administer the day-to-day operations of the college campus [under the direction of]
591	(c) consult with the campus board of directors; and
592	(c) administer human resource policies and employee compensation plans in
593	accordance with the requirements of the Utah College of Applied Technology Board of
594	<u>Trustees</u> .
595	Section 11. Section 53B-2a-108 is amended to read:
596	53B-2a-108. Campus boards of directors Membership Appointments.
597	[Each] A campus shall have a campus board of directors appointed as follows:
598	(1) the Bridgerland Applied Technology College Campus Board of Directors shall be
599	composed of the following [13] 11 members:
500	(a) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
501	Box Elder School District;
502	(b) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
503	Cache School District;
504	(c) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
505	Logan School District;
506	(d) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
507	Rich School District;
608	(e) one member of the Utah State University board of trustees; and
509	[(f) one member of the State Board of Regents designated by the chair of the State
510	Board of Regents to serve a one-year term; and]
511	[(g) seven] (f) six representatives of business or industry employers within the region
512	appointed jointly by the members appointed under Subsections (1)(a) through [(f)] (e);
513	(2) the Ogden-Weber Applied Technology College Campus Board of Directors shall be
514	composed of the following [11] <u>nine</u> members:
515	(a) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
516	Ogden City School District;
517	(b) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
518	Weber School District;
519	(c) one elected local school board member jointly appointed by the boards of education
520	for the Ogden City School District and the Weber School District;

621	(d) one member of the Weber State University board of trustees; and
622	[(e) one member of the State Board of Regents designated by the chair of the State
623	Board of Regents to serve a one-year term; and]
624	[(f) six] (e) six representatives of business or industry employers within the region
625	appointed jointly by the members appointed under Subsections (2)(a) through [(e)] (d);
626	(3) the Davis Applied Technology College Campus Board of Directors shall be
627	composed of the following [11] <u>nine</u> members:
628	(a) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
629	Davis School District;
630	(b) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
631	Morgan School District;
632	(c) one elected local school board member jointly appointed by the boards of education
633	for the Davis School District and the Morgan School District;
634	(d) one member of the Weber State University board of trustees;
635	[(e) one member of the State Board of Regents designated by the chair of the State
636	Board of Regents to serve a one-year term; and]
637	[(f) six] (e) five representatives of business or industry employers within the region
638	appointed jointly by the members appointed under Subsections (3)(a) through [(e)] (d);
639	(4) the [Salt Lake/Tooele] Tooele Applied Technology College Campus Board of
640	Directors shall be composed of the following [15] nine members:
641	[(a) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
642	Salt Lake City School District;]
643	[(b) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
644	Granite School District;]
645	[(c) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
646	Jordan School District;]
647	[(d) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
648	Murray School District;]
649	[(e) one] (a) three elected local school board [member] members appointed by the
650	board of education for the Tooele School District;
651	[(f)] (b) one member of the Salt Lake Community College board of trustees; and

52	(g) one member of the State Board of Regents designated by the chair of the State
553	Board of Regents to serve a one-year term; and]
554	[(h) eight] (c) five representatives of business or industry employers within the region
555	appointed jointly by the members appointed under Subsections (4)(a) through $[\frac{(g)}{g}]$ (b);
556	(5) the Mountainland Applied Technology College Campus Board of Directors shall be
557	composed of the following [19] 17 members:
558	(a) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
559	Alpine School District;
660	(b) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
661	Nebo School District;
662	(c) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
663	Provo School District;
664	(d) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
665	South Summit School District;
666	(e) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
667	North Summit School District;
668	(f) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
669	Wasatch School District;
570	(g) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
571	Park City School District;
572	(h) one member of the Utah Valley University board of trustees;
573	[(i) one member of the State Board of Regents designated by the chair of the State
574	Board of Regents to serve a one-year term; and]
575	[(j) ten] (i) nine representatives of business or industry employers within the region
576	appointed jointly by the members appointed under Subsections (5)(a) through $[\frac{(i)}{2}]$ (h);
577	(6) the Uintah Basin Applied Technology College Campus Board of Directors shall be
578	composed of the following [11] <u>nine</u> members:
579	(a) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
680	Daggett School District;
681	(b) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
682	Duchesne School District;

683	(c) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
684	Uintah School District;
685	(d) one member of the Utah State University board of trustees; and
686	[(e) one member of the State Board of Regents designated by the chair of the State
687	Board of Regents to serve a one-year term; and]
688	[(f) six] (e) five representatives of business or industry employers within the region
689	appointed jointly by the members appointed under Subsections (6)(a) through $[(e)]$ (d);
690	(7) the Southwest Applied Technology College Campus Board of Directors shall be
691	composed of the following [13] 11 members:
692	(a) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
693	Beaver School District;
694	(b) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
695	Garfield School District;
696	(c) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
697	Iron School District;
698	(d) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
699	Kane School District;
700	(e) one member of the Southern Utah University board of trustees; and
701	[(f) one member of the State Board of Regents designated by the chair of the State
702	Board of Regents to serve a one-year term; and]
703	[g] seven $[f]$ six representatives of business or industry employers within the region
704	appointed jointly by the members appointed under Subsections (7)(a) through $[(f)]$ (e);
705	(8) the Dixie Applied Technology College Campus Board of Directors shall be
706	composed of the following [11] <u>nine</u> members:
707	(a) three elected local school board members appointed by the board of education for
708	the Washington School District;
709	(b) one member of the Dixie State College of Utah board of trustees; and
710	[(c) one member of the State Board of Regents designated by the chair of the State
711	Board of Regents to serve a one-year term; and]
712	[(d) six] (c) five representatives of business or industry employers within the region
713	appointed jointly by the members appointed under Subsections (8)(a) through $[(c)]$ (b); and

714	(9) the representatives of business or industry <u>employers</u> shall be:
715	(a) appointed jointly by the designated members from a list of names provided by local
716	organizations or associations whose members employ workers with [applied technology] career
717	and educational education[-];
718	(b) individuals recognized for their knowledge and expertise;
719	(c) individuals who represent current and emerging technical career clusters of the
720	state; and.
721	(d) appointed on a nonpartisan basis.
722	Section 12. Section 53B-2a-109 is amended to read:
723	53B-2a-109. Campus boards of directors Terms Quorum Chair
724	Compensation.
725	(1) (a) At the first meeting of a campus board of directors after [September 1, 2001]
726	<u>July 1, 2009</u> :
727	(i) the representatives from the local school boards shall divide up their positions so
728	that approximately half of them serve for two-year terms and half serve for four-year terms;
729	and
730	(ii) the representatives from business and industry employers shall divide up their
731	positions so that approximately half of them serve for two-year terms and half serve for
732	four-year terms.
733	(b) Except as provided in Subsection (1)(a) [and except for State Board of Regents
734	members who serve a one-year term], individuals appointed to a campus board of directors
735	shall serve four-year terms.
736	(2) The original appointing authority shall fill any vacancies that occur on the campus
737	board of directors.
738	(3) A majority of the campus board of directors is a quorum.
739	(4) [The] \underline{A} campus board of directors shall elect a chair from its membership.
740	(5) (a) (i) Members who are not government employees shall receive no compensation
741	or benefits for their services, but may receive per diem and expenses incurred in the
742	performance of the member's official duties from the campus board of directors at the rates
743	established by the Division of Finance under Sections 63A-3-106 and 63A-3-107.
744	(ii) Members may decline to receive per diem and expenses for their service.

(b) (i) Higher education members who do not receive salary, per diem, or expenses from the entity that they represent for their service may receive per diem and expenses incurred in the performance of their official duties from the campus board of directors at the rates established by the Division of Finance under Sections 63A-3-106 and 63A-3-107.

- (ii) Higher education members may decline to receive per diem and expenses for their service.
- (c) (i) Members appointed by local school boards who do not receive salary, per diem, or expenses from the entity that they represent for their service may receive per diem and expenses incurred in the performance of their official duties from the campus board of directors at the rates established by the Division of Finance under Sections 63A-3-106 and 63A-3-107.
- (ii) Local school board members may decline to receive per diem and expenses for their service.
- (6) (a) [Each] A campus board of directors may enact bylaws for its own government, including provision for regular meetings, that are in accordance with the policies of the Utah College of Applied Technology.
- (b) (i) The campus board of directors may provide for an executive committee in its bylaws.
- (ii) If established, the committee shall have the full authority of the campus board of directors to act upon routine matters during the interim between [regional] board meetings.
- (iii) The committee may act on nonroutine matters only under extraordinary and emergency circumstances.
- (iv) The committee shall report its activities to the campus board of directors at its next regular meeting following the action.
 - (7) A [regional] campus board of directors may establish advisory committees.
- Section 13. Section **53B-2a-110** is amended to read:
- 53B-2a-110. Campus board of directors -- Powers and duties.
- 771 (1) [Each] A campus board of directors shall:

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- (a) [prepare and submit] assist the campus president in preparing a budget request for its annual operations to the Utah College of Applied Technology Board of Trustees;
- 774 (b) after consulting with the Utah College of Applied Technology, other higher 775 education institutions, [and local] school districts, and charter schools within its region, prepare

a comprehensive strategic plan for delivering [applied technology] career and technical education within its region;

(c) consult with business, industry, the Department of Workforce Services, the

- Governor's Office of Economic Development, and the Governor's Office of Planning and Budget on an ongoing basis to determine what workers and skills are needed for employment in Utah businesses and industries;
 - (d) develop programs based upon the information gathered in accordance with Subsection (1)(c), including expedited program approval and termination procedures to meet market needs;
 - (e) adopt an annual budget and fund balances;

- (f) develop policies for the operation of applied technology education facilities under its jurisdiction;
- (g) establish human resources and compensation policies for all employees in accordance with policies of the Utah College of Applied Technology <u>Board of Trustees</u>;
- (h) approve credentials for employees and assign employees to duties in accordance with the Utah College of Applied Technology <u>Board of Trustees</u> policies and accreditation guidelines;
 - (i) conduct annual program evaluations;
- (j) appoint program advisory committees and other advisory groups to provide counsel,
 support, and recommendations for updating and improving the effectiveness of training
 programs and services;
- (k) approve regulations, both regular and emergency, to be issued and executed by the campus president;
- (l) coordinate with local school boards [and], school districts, and charter schools to [protect] meet the [applied technology] career and technical education needs of secondary students; and
- (m) develop policies and procedures for the admission, classification, instruction, and examination of students in accordance with the policies and accreditation guidelines of the Utah College of Applied Technology[7] and the State Board of Education[7, and the State Board of Regents].
 - (2) A campus board of directors may not exercise any jurisdiction over [applied

807 technology career and technical education provided by a [local] school district or charter 808 school or provided by a higher education institution independently of a college campus. 809 (3) If a program advisory committee or other advisory group submits a printed 810 recommendation to the campus board of directors, the campus board of directors shall 811 acknowledge the recommendation with a printed response that explains the campus board of 812 directors' action regarding the recommendation and the reasons for the action. 813 Section 14. Section **53B-2a-111** is amended to read: 814 53B-2a-111. Board of Trustees -- Consultation with State Board of Regents. 815 (1) The [board] Utah College of Applied Technology Board of Trustees shall consult with the [Utah College of Applied Technology Board of Trustees or the president of the Utah 816 817 College of Applied Technology or both before acting on matters pertaining to the Utah College 818 of Applied Technology | State Board of Regents to coordinate the delivery of career and 819 technical education. 820 (2) The board shall consult with a campus board of directors or the campus president 821 or both before acting on matters pertaining to a college campus. 822 [(3) The board may: 823 [(a) call meetings with the Utah College of Applied Technology Board of Trustees or 824 one or more of the campus boards of directors; and 825 [(b) appoint committees to perform duties assigned by the board that include:] 826 (i) (A) members of the Utah College of Applied Technology Board of Trustees; or 827 [(B) administrators of the Utah College of Applied Technology; or] 828 (ii) (A) members of one or more of the campus boards of directors; or 829 (B) administrators, faculty staff members, or students of one or more of the college 830 campuses. 831 (2) The Utah College of Applied Technology Board of Trustees may request meetings 832 with the State Board of Regents. 833 Section 15. Section 53B-2a-112 is amended to read: 834 53B-2a-112. College campuses -- Relationships with other public and higher 835 education institutions -- Agreements -- Priorities -- New capital facilities. 836 (1) As used in this section, "higher education institution" means, for each college 837 campus, the higher education institution designated in Section 53B-2a-108[, except for the

838	State Board of Regents,] to have a representative on its campus board of directors.
839	(2) A college campus shall avoid any unnecessary duplication of [applied technology]
840	career and technical education instructional facilities, programs, administration, and staff
841	between the college campus and other public and higher education institutions.
842	(3) A college campus may enter into agreements:
843	(a) with other higher education institutions to cultivate cooperative relationships;
844	(b) with other public and higher education institutions to enhance [applied technology]
845	career and technical education within its region; or
846	(c) to comply with Subsection (2).
847	(4) Before a college campus develops its own new instructional facilities, it shall give
848	priority to:
849	(a) maintaining its own existing instructional facilities for both secondary and adult
850	students;
851	(b) coordinating with the president of a higher education institution and entering into
852	any necessary agreements to provide [applied technology] career and technical education to
853	both secondary and adult students that:
854	(i) maintain and support existing higher education [applied technology] career and
855	technical education programs; and
856	(ii) maximize the use of existing higher education facilities; and
857	(c) developing cooperative agreements with [local] school districts, charter schools,
858	other higher education institutions, businesses, industries, and community and private agencies
859	to maximize the availability of [applied technology] career and technical education
860	instructional facilities for both secondary and adult students.
861	(5) (a) Before submitting a funding request pertaining to new capital facilities and land
862	purchases to the Utah College of Applied Technology, a college campus shall:
863	(i) ensure that all available instructional facilities are maximized in accordance with
864	Subsections (4)(a) through (c); and
865	(ii) coordinate the request with the president of a higher education institution, if
866	applicable.
867	(b) The State Building Board shall make a finding that the requirements of this section
868	are met before it may consider a funding request of the Utah College of Applied Technology

869 pertaining to new capital facilities and land purchases. 870 (c) A college campus may not construct, approve the construction of, plan for the 871 design or construction of, or consent to the construction of an [applied technology] career and 872 technical education facility without approval of the Legislature. 873 (6) Before acquiring new fiscal and administrative support structures, a college campus shall: 874 875 (a) review the use of existing public or higher education administrative and accounting 876 systems, financial record systems, and student and financial aid systems for the delivery of 877 [applied technology] career and technical education in the region; 878 (b) determine whether it is feasible to use those existing systems; and 879 (c) with the approval of the campus board of directors and the board of trustees, use 880

- those existing systems.
 - (7) (a) The higher education institution for the region shall have the first opportunity to offer the general education courses that are required for an associate of applied technology degree offered by the Utah College of Applied Technology, at the college campus site.]
 - [(b) The content of the general education courses described in Subsection (7)(a) shall be defined by the higher education institution for the region in a manner consistent with the needs of the Utah College of Applied Technology.]
 - (c) If the higher education institution for the region is unable to offer the courses described in Subsection (7)(a), other institutions of higher education may offer those courses.
 - [(d) The college campuses shall be responsible to provide technical skills training and basic skills as required by business and industry towards an associate of applied technology degree.]
 - Section 16. Section 53B-2a-113 is amended to read:

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- 893 53B-2a-113. College campuses -- Leasing authority -- Lease-purchase agreements 894 -- Report.
 - (1) In accordance with Subsection 53B-2a-112(2), a college campus may enter into a lease with other higher education institutions, [public] school districts, charter schools, state agencies, or business and industry for a term of:
 - (a) one year or less with the approval of the campus board of directors; and
- 899 (b) more than one year with the approval of the board of trustees and:

900	(i) the approval of funding for the lease by the Legislature prior to a college campus
901	entering into the lease; or
902	(ii) the lease agreement includes language that allows termination of the lease without
903	penalty.
904	(2) (a) In accordance with Subsection 53B-2a-112(2), a college campus may enter into
905	a lease-purchase agreement if:
906	(i) there is a long-term benefit to the state;
907	(ii) the project is included in both the campus and Utah College of Applied Technology
908	master plans;
909	(iii) the lease-purchase agreement includes language that allows termination of the
910	lease;
911	(iv) the lease-purchase agreement is approved by the campus board of directors and the
912	board of trustees; and
913	(v) the lease-purchase agreement is:
914	(A) reviewed by the Division of Facilities Construction and Management;
915	(B) reviewed by the State Building Board; and
916	(C) approved by the Legislature.
917	(b) An approval under Subsection (2)(a) shall include a recognition of:
918	(i) all parties, dates, and elements of the agreement;
919	(ii) the equity or collateral component that creates the benefit; and
920	(iii) the options dealing with the sale and division of equity.
921	(3) (a) Each college campus shall provide an annual lease report to the board of
922	trustees that details each of its leases, annual costs, location, square footage, and
923	recommendations for lease continuation.
924	(b) The president of the Utah College of Applied Technology shall compile and
925	distribute an annual combined lease report for all college campuses to the Division of Facilities
926	Construction Management and to others upon request.
927	(4) The Utah College of Applied Technology shall use the annual combined lease
928	report in determining planning, utilization, and budget requests.
929	Section 17. Section 53B-6-101 is amended to read:
930	53B-6-101. Additional responsibilities of the board Studies and evaluations

931 Master plan for higher education -- Productivity -- Institutional student assessment --932 Biennial accountability report to the Legislature. 933 (1) The board shall conduct continuing studies and evaluations of the facilities, 934 grounds, buildings, and equipment at the higher education institutions under its jurisdiction and 935 use space utilization and other studies conducted by the State Building Board. 936 (2) The board shall establish and maintain an up-to-date master plan which shall 937 include: 938 (a) providing for statewide planning of public higher education in terms of aims, 939 purposes, and objectives of the system as a whole; 940 (b) establishing and defining the role and programs of each institution within the 941 system; 942 (c) establishing criteria for and determination of the future needs and requirements for 943 new programs and new institutions and the elimination, curtailment, or consolidation of 944 existing programs and facilities; 945 (d) providing for the initiation and financing of projects as considered necessary to 946 meet and satisfy the projected patterns of growth and maintenance; 947 (e) establishing criteria for and determination of the operating and capital budgetary 948 needs of each institution and the system as a whole; 949 (f) recommending the methods and sources of future financial support of the higher 950 education system; 951 (g) establishing procedures for the development of maximum utilization of existing 952 facilities as suggested by space utilization studies conducted by the State Building Board; and 953 (h) securing an adequate and coordinated program for the community colleges and 954 [applied technology/technical] career and technical education programs in the institutions and 955 departments in the state system of higher education. 956 (3) (a) The board may do all things necessary for the effective implementation of the 957 statewide master plan as adopted and revised by the board from time to time. 958 (b) The State Board of Education and the Utah College of Applied Technology shall 959 provide [applied technology] career and technical education staff assistance to the State Board 960 of Regents in support of master planning activities related to [applied technology] career and

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technical education in higher education.

962 (4) (a) The board shall adopt rules and initiate programs to promote and increase 963 productivity in the state system of higher education. 964 (b) The board shall require each college and university in the system to establish 965 multiple measures of institutional and student assessment in order to improve student 966 instruction, academic programs, and learning opportunities. 967 (c) The board shall submit a biennial accountability report to the Legislature, which 968 shall include such factors as: 969 (i) space utilization, faculty productivity, and other similar measures of the 970 management of institutional resources at each institution; and 971 (ii) student assessment at entry to each institution, at critical midway points, and at 972 exit. 973 (d) The board shall establish a systemwide committee to address assessment and 974 accountability issues and propose essential elements to be included in the biennial report. 975 Section 18. Section **53B-16-102** is amended to read: 976 53B-16-102. Changes in curriculum -- Substantial alterations in institutional 977 operations -- Periodic review of programs -- Career and technical education curriculum 978 changes. 979 (1) Under procedures and policies approved by the board and developed in consultation 980 with each institution of higher education, each institution may make such changes in its 981 curriculum as necessary to better effectuate the institutional role previously approved by the 982 board. 983 (2) Notice of a change in the curriculum shall in all cases be promptly submitted to the 984 board. 985 (3) The board shall establish procedures and policies for considering institutional 986 proposals for substantial alterations in the scope of existing institutional operations. 987 (4) Alterations shall not be made without prior approval of the state board. 988

(5) For purposes of this section, "substantial alteration" means the establishment of a branch, extension center, college, professional school, division, institute, department, or a new program in instruction, research, or public services or a new degree, diploma, or certificate.

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(6) The board shall conduct periodic reviews of all programs of instruction, research, and public service at each institution, including those funded by gifts, grants, and contracts, and

may require the modification or termination of any program.

(7) Prior to requiring modification or termination of a program, the board shall give the institution adequate opportunity for a hearing before the board.

- (8) In making decisions related to [applied technology] career and technical education curriculum changes, the board shall request a review of the proposed changes by the State Board of Education and the Utah College of Applied Technology to ensure an orderly and systematic [applied technology] career and technical education curriculum that eliminates overlap and duplication of course work with the high schools and the Utah College of Applied Technology.
 - Section 19. Section **53B-16-205** is amended to read:
- 53B-16-205. Establishment of Snow College Richfield campus -- Supervision and administration -- Transition -- Institutional mission.
- (1) There is established a branch campus of Snow College in Richfield, Utah, hereafter referred to as the Snow College Richfield campus.
- (2) Snow College shall administer the branch campus under the general control and supervision of the State Board of Regents as an integrated part of Snow College's mission, programs, and curriculum.
 - (3) Snow College shall:
- (a) maintain a strong curriculum in [applied technology] career and technical education courses at the Snow College Richfield campus and within the region served by Snow College which can be transferred to other institutions within the higher education system, together with lower division courses and courses required for associate degrees in science, arts, applied science, and [applied technology] career and technical education;
- (b) work with [local] school districts <u>and charter schools</u> in developing an aggressive concurrent enrollment program in cooperation with Snow College Richfield campus; and
- (c) provide, through the Snow College Richfield Campus, for open-entry, open-exit competency-based [applied technology] career and technical education programs, at the tuition rate approved by the Utah College of Applied Technology for adults and at no tuition cost to secondary students, that emphasize short-term job training or retraining for immediate placement in the job market and serve the geographic area encompassing:
 - (i) the Juab School District;

1024	(ii) the Millard School District;
1025	(iii) the Tintic School District;
1026	(iv) the North Sanpete School District;
1027	(v) the South Sanpete School District;
1028	(vi) the Wayne School District;
1029	(vii) the Piute School District; and
1030	(viii) the Sevier School District.
1031	(4) Snow College may not exercise any jurisdiction over [applied technology] career
1032	and technical education provided by a [local] school district or charter school independently of
1033	Snow College.
1034	(5) Snow College shall report to the Utah College of Applied Technology by
1035	September 30 of each year on the status of and maintenance of the effort for [applied
1036	technology] career and technical education in the region served by Snow College, including
1037	access to open-entry, open-exit competency-based [applied technology] career and technical
1038	education programs at the tuition rate approved by the Utah College of Applied Technology
1039	Board of Trustees for adults and at no tuition cost to secondary students.
1040	(6) Legislative appropriations to Snow College's career and technical education shall
1041	be made as line items that are separate from other appropriations for Snow College.
1042	Section 20. Section 53B-16-206 is amended to read:
1043	53B-16-206. Snow College Career and technical education advisory committee
1044	Membership Duties.
1045	(1) The Snow College Richfield campus shall have an [applied technology] career and
1046	technical education advisory committee composed of the following 19 members:
1047	(a) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
1048	Juab School District;
1049	(b) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
1050	Millard School District;
1051	(c) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
1052	Tintic School District;
1053	(d) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
1054	North Sanpete School District;

1055	(e) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
1056	South Sanpete School District;
1057	(f) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
1058	Wayne School District;
1059	(g) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
1060	Piute School District;
1061	(h) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
1062	Sevier School District;
1063	(i) one member of the Snow College board of trustees appointed by the president of
1064	Snow College; and
1065	(j) ten representatives of business or industry employers within the region appointed by
1066	the president of Snow College from nominations of the members appointed under Subsections
1067	(1)(a) through (i).
1068	(2) The [applied technology] career and technical education advisory committee shall:
1069	(a) after consulting with Snow College and local school districts within its region,
1070	prepare a comprehensive strategic plan for delivering [applied technology] career and technical
1071	education within its region;
1072	(b) make recommendations regarding what skills are needed for employment in Utah
1073	businesses and industries;
1074	(c) recommend programs based upon the information gathered in accordance with
1075	Subsection (2)(b);
1076	(d) review annual program evaluations;
1077	(e) provide counsel, support, and recommendations for updating and improving the
1078	effectiveness of [applied technology] career and technical education programs and services,
1079	including expedited program approval and termination of procedures, consistent with Board of
1080	Regents' policy;
1081	(f) monitor program advisory committees and other advisory groups to provide
1082	counsel, support, and recommendations for updating and improving the effectiveness of
1083	training programs and services; and
1084	(g) coordinate with local school boards [and], school districts, and charter schools to
1085	[protect and enhance] meet the [applied technology] career and technical education needs of

1086 secondary students. 1087 Section 21. Section **53B-16-207** is amended to read: 1088 53B-16-207. College of Eastern Utah -- Career and technical education --1089 Supervision and administration -- Transition -- Institutional mission. 1090 (1) The College of Eastern Utah shall: 1091 (a) maintain a strong curriculum in [applied technology] career and technical education 1092 courses at its campus and within the region it serves which can be transferred to other 1093 institutions within the higher education system, together with lower division courses and 1094 courses required for associate degrees in science, arts, applied science, and [applied 1095 technology career and technical education; 1096 (b) work with [local] school districts and charter schools in developing an aggressive 1097 concurrent enrollment program; and 1098 (c) provide for open-entry, open-exit competency-based [applied technology] career 1099 and technical education programs, at the tuition rate approved by the Utah College of Applied 1100 Technology Board of Trustees for adults and at no tuition cost to secondary students, that 1101 emphasize short-term job training or retraining for immediate placement in the job market and 1102 serve the geographic area encompassing: 1103 (i) the Carbon School District; 1104 (ii) the Emery School District; 1105 (iii) the Grand School District; and 1106 (iv) the San Juan School District. 1107 (2) The College of Eastern Utah may not exercise any jurisdiction over [applied 1108 technology career and technical education provided by a [local] school district or charter 1109 school independently of the College of Eastern Utah. 1110 (3) The College of Eastern Utah shall report to the Utah College of Applied 1111 Technology by September 30 of each year on the status of and maintenance of the effort for 1112 [applied technology] career and technical education in the region served by the College of 1113 Eastern Utah, including access to open-entry, open-exit competency-based [applied 1114 technology career and technical education programs at the tuition rate approved by the Utah 1115 College of Applied Technology Board of Trustees for adults and at no tuition cost to secondary 1116 students.

1117	(4) Legislative appropriations to the College of Eastern Utah's career and technical
1118	education shall be made as line items that are separate from other appropriations for the
1119	College of Eastern Utah.
1120	Section 22. Section 53B-16-208 is amended to read:
1121	53B-16-208. The College of Eastern Utah Career and technical education
1122	advisory committee Membership Duties.
1123	(1) The College of Eastern Utah shall have [an applied technology] a career and
1124	technical education advisory committee composed of the following 11 members:
1125	(a) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
1126	Carbon School District;
1127	(b) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
1128	Emery School District;
1129	(c) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
1130	Grand School District;
1131	(d) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
1132	San Juan School District;
1133	(e) one member of the College of Eastern Utah board of trustees appointed by the
1134	president of the College of Eastern Utah; and
1135	(f) six representatives of business or industry within the region appointed by the
1136	president of the College of Eastern Utah from members of the program advisory committees
1137	overseeing career and technical education in the region.
1138	(2) The [applied technology] career and technical education advisory committee shall:
1139	(a) after consulting with the College of Eastern Utah [and], school districts, and charter
1140	schools within its region, prepare a comprehensive strategic plan for delivering [applied
1141	technology] career and technical education within its region;
1142	(b) make recommendations regarding what skills are needed for employment in Utah
1143	businesses and industries;
1144	(c) recommend programs based upon the information gathered in accordance with
1145	Subsection (2)(b);
1146	(d) review annual program evaluations;
1147	(e) provide counsel, support, and recommendations for updating and improving the

1148	effectiveness of [applied technology] career and technical education programs and services,
1149	including expedited program approval and termination of procedures, consistent with Board of
1150	Regents' policy;
1151	(f) monitor program advisory committees and other advisory groups to provide
1152	counsel, support, and recommendations for updating and improving the effectiveness of
1153	training programs and services; and
1154	(g) coordinate with local school boards [and], districts, and charter schools to [protect
1155	and enhance] meet the [applied technology] career and technical education needs of secondary
1156	students.
1157	Section 23. Section 53B-16-209 is enacted to read:
1158	53B-16-209. Salt Lake Community College School of Technology Career and
1159	technical education Supervision and administration Institutional mission.
1160	(1) (a) There is hereby established a School of Technology at Salt Lake Community
1161	College.
1162	(b) Beginning on July 1, 2009, the Salt Lake Skills Center and the Salt Lake County
1163	portion of the Salt Lake/Tooele Applied Technology College shall be merged into Salt Lake
1164	Community College's School of Technology.
1165	(2) Salt Lake Community College's School of Technology is a continuation of the Salt
1166	Lake Skills Center and the Salt Lake County portion of the Salt Lake/Tooele Applied
1167	Technology College and shall:
1168	(a) possess all rights, title, privileges, powers, immunities, franchises, endowments,
1169	property, and claims of the Salt Lake Skills Center and the Salt Lake County portion of
1170	the Salt Lake/Tooele Applied Technology College; and
1171	(b) fulfill and perform all obligations of the Salt Lake Skills Center and the Salt Lake
1172	County portion of the Salt Lake/Tooele Applied Technology College, including obligations
1173	relating to outstanding bonds and notes.
1174	(3) Salt Lake Community College shall administer the School of Technology under the
1175	board's supervision and in consultation with the School of Technology's Board of Directors as
1176	provided in Section 53B-16-210.
1177	(4) Salt Lake Community College's School of Technology shall:
1178	(a) provide short-term, intensive, non-credit, post-secondary, and extra-secondary

1179	career and technical education for both secondary and adult students;
1180	(b) ensure that economically disadvantaged, educationally disadvantaged, or other
1181	at-risk students have access to career and technical education;
1182	(c) maintain a strong curriculum in both credit and non-credit career and technical
1183	education courses at its campuses within Salt Lake County which can be transferred within the
1184	institution and within the higher education system, together with lower division courses and
1185	courses required for associate degrees in science, arts, applied science, and career and technical
1186	education;
1187	(d) offer non-credit, basic instruction in areas such as reading, language, and
1188	mathematics that are necessary for student success in a chosen career and technical education
1189	or job-related program;
1190	(e) offer the curriculum at:
1191	(i) market cost to adult students, as recommended by the Utah College of Applied
1192	Technology Board of Trustees; and
1193	(ii) no tuition cost to secondary students;
1194	(f) provide career and technical education that will result in:
1195	(i) appropriate licensing, certification, or other evidence of completion of training; and
1196	(ii) qualification for specific employment, with an emphasis on high demand, high
1197	wage jobs in business and industry;
1198	(g) work with school districts and charter schools in developing an aggressive
1199	concurrent enrollment program; and
1200	(h) serve Salt Lake County, specifically serving the geographic area encompassing:
1201	(i) the Salt Lake City School District;
1202	(ii) the Granite School District;
1203	(iii) the East Jordan School District;
1204	(iv) the West Jordan School District; and
1205	(v) the Murray School District;
1206	(i) develop cooperative agreements within the geographic area served by the School of
1207	Technology with school districts, charter schools, and other higher education institutions,
1208	businesses, industries, and community and private agencies to maximize the availability of
1209	instructional facilities; and

1210	(j) after consulting with school districts and charter schools within the geographic area
1211	served:
1212	(i) ensure that secondary students in the public education system have access to career
1213	and technical education at each School of Technology location; and
1214	(ii) prepare and submit an annual report to the Utah College of Applied Technology by
1215	September 30 of each year detailing:
1216	(A) how the career and technical education needs of secondary students within the
1217	region are being met;
1218	(B) what access secondary students within the region have to programs offered at
1219	college campuses; and
1220	(C) how the emphasis on high demand, high wage jobs in business and industry
1221	described in Subsection (4)(f)(ii) is being provided.
1222	(5) Salt Lake Community College or its School of Technology may not exercise any
1223	jurisdiction over career and technical education provided by a school district or charter school
1224	independently of Salt Lake Community College or its School of Technology.
1225	(6) Legislative appropriations to Salt Lake Community College's School of Technology
1226	shall be made as a line item that separates it from other appropriations for Salt Lake
1227	Community College.
1228	Section 24. Section 53B-16-210 is enacted to read:
1229	53B-16-210. Salt Lake Community College School of Technology Board of
1230	Directors Membership Duties.
1231	(1) Salt Lake Community College's School of Technology shall have a board of
1232	directors composed of the following 13 members:
1233	(a) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
1234	Salt Lake City School District;
1235	(b) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
1236	Granite School District;
1237	(c) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
1238	East Jordan School District;
1239	(d) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
1240	West Jordan School District;

1241	(e) one elected local school board member appointed by the board of education for the
1242	Murray School District;
1243	(f) one member of the Salt Lake Community College board of trustees appointed by the
1244	president of Salt Lake Community College; and
1245	(g) seven representatives of business or industry employers within the region jointly
1246	appointed by the members appointed under Subsections (1)(a) through (f).
1247	(2) The School of Technology Board of Directors shall:
1248	(a) consult on an ongoing basis with:
1249	(i) Salt Lake Community College;
1250	(ii) school districts and charter schools within its region;
1251	(iii) business and industry;
1252	(iv) craft, trade, and apprenticeship programs;
1253	(v) the Department of Workforce Services;
1254	(vi) the Governor's Office of Economic Development; and
1255	(vii) the Governor's Office of Planning and Budget;
1256	(b) prepare a comprehensive strategic plan for delivering career and technical
1257	education within Salt Lake County;
1258	(c) make recommendations regarding what skills are needed for employment in Utah
1259	businesses and industries;
1260	(d) recommend the development of programs based upon the information gathered in
1261	accordance with Subsection (2)(a), including expedited program approval and termination
1262	procedures to meet market needs;
1263	(e) conduct annual program evaluations;
1264	(f) appoint program advisory committees and other program advisory groups to provide
1265	counsel, support, and recommendations for updating and improving the effectiveness of career
1266	and technical education programs and services;
1267	(g) coordinate with local school boards, school districts, and charter schools to meet
1268	the career and technical education needs of secondary students;
1269	(h) recommend an annual budget and fund balances;
1270	(i) recommend policies and procedures for the operation of the School of Technology
1271	facilities under its jurisdiction;

1272	(j) recommend human resources and compensation policies for all employees in
1273	accordance with policies of the Utah State Board of Regents and Salt Lake Community
1274	College;
1275	(k) recommend credentials for employees and the assignment employees to duties in
1276	accordance with:
1277	(i) State Board of Regents and Salt Lake Community College policies; and
1278	(ii) the Council on Occupational Education accreditation guidelines;
1279	(l) recommend regulations, both regular and emergency, to be issued and executed by
1280	the School of Technology;
1281	(m) recommend policies and procedures for the admission, classification, instruction,
1282	and examination of students in accordance with the policies and accreditation guidelines of the
1283	Council on Occupational Education, the State Board of Regents, and the State Board of
1284	Education; and
1285	(n) communicate regularly with the president of Salt Lake Community College
1286	regarding career and technical education issues.
1287	(3) If a program advisory committee or other advisory group submits a written
1288	recommendation to the School of Technology Board of Directors, the board of directors shall
1289	acknowledge the recommendation with a printed response that explains the board of director's
1290	action regarding the recommendation and the reasons for the action.
1291	(4) (a) The School of Technology Board of Directors shall make written, specific
1292	recommendations to the president of Salt Lake Community College concerning:
1293	(i) additions, deletions, or expansions of non-credit career and technical education
1294	programs at Salt Lake Community College;
1295	(ii) updates and improvements in the effectiveness of School of Technology career and
1296	technical education programs and services, including expedited program approval and
1297	termination of procedures, consistent with Board of Regents' policy;
1298	(iii) recommendations described under Subsection (2); and
1299	(iv) other recommendations relating to the career and technical education mission of
1300	Salt Lake Community College.
1301	(b) If the president of Salt Lake Community College rejects a specific recommendation
1302	of the School of Technology Board of Directors, the president shall:

1303	(i) notify the board of directors in writing within 10 working days of the rejection and
1304	the reasons for the rejection; and
1305	(ii) provide the board of directors an opportunity to modify its specific
1306	recommendation and resubmit it to the president.
1307	(5) The president of Salt Lake Community College and the chair of the School of
1308	Technology's Board of Directors shall:
1309	(a) annually meet with the Utah College of Applied Technology Board of Trustees to
1310	provide:
1311	(i) the information described in Subsection 53B-16-209(4)(j); and
1312	(ii) a report on the implementation of specific recommendations described in
1313	Subsection (4); and
1314	(b) prepare and submit an annual report to the governor and to the Legislature's
1315	Education Interim Committee by October 31 of each year providing the information described
1316	in Subsection (5)(a)(i) and (ii).
1317	(6) Salt Lake Community College shall provide staff support for the School of
1318	Technology's Board of Directors.
1319	Section 25. Repealer.
1320	This bill repeals:
1321	Section 53B-16-204, Salt Lake Skills Center Role and mission Supervision and
1322	administration.
1323	Section 26. Transition duties Salt Lake Community College Utah College of
1324	Applied Technology.
1325	(1) As the Salt Lake Skills Center and part of the Salt Lake/Tooele Applied
1326	Technology College Campus is transferred to Salt Lake Community College's School of
1327	Technology, Salt Lake Community College shall:
1328	(a) preserve employment positions at Salt Lake Community College's School of
1329	Technology or the Tooele Applied Technology College;
1330	(b) provide opportunities for an employee to continue employment in a position that is
1331	similar to the employee's previous position, maintaining current salary and benefits; and
1332	(c) transfer employees to other positions on a voluntary basis, with retraining as
1333	necessary:

1334	(d) preserve the existing Salt Lake/Tooele Applied Technology College main campus,
1335	Rose Park campus and West Valley Training Center locations during the transition period;
1336	(e) transfer existing policies and procedures from the Salt Lake/Tooele Applied
1337	Technology College for the operation of Salt Lake Community College's School of
1338	Technology; and
1339	(f) preserve and transfer, as approved by the Legislature, the existing Salt Lake/Tooele
1340	Applied Technology College and Salt Lake Skills Center budget to Salt Lake Community
1341	College's School of Technology.
1342	(2) As part of the Salt Lake/Tooele Applied Technology College Campus is transferred
1343	to Salt Lake Community College's School of Technology and a separate Tooele Applied
1344	Technology College Campus is established, the Utah College of Applied Technology shall:
1345	(a) make recommendations concerning the Tooele Applied Technology College
1346	Campus operating base budget, including requests concerning new appropriations and
1347	preserving and transferring current appropriations; and
1348	(b) make other recommendations relating to the career and technical education mission
1349	of Salt Lake Community College School of Technology and the Tooele Applied Technology
1350	College Campus.
1351	Section 27. Effective date.
1352	This bill takes effect on July 1, 2009.